

REMARKS

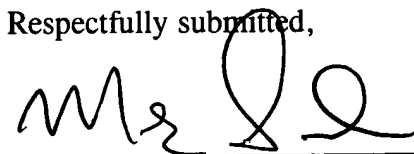
The foregoing Amendment and remarks which follow are responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 17, 2002, in relation to the above-identified patent application. In the Restriction Requirement, the Examiner requested restriction to either Claims 1-11 drawn to a device or Claims 12-18 drawn to a method. Applicant hereby provisionally elects without traverse to initially prosecute Claims 1-11. Accordingly, by this Amendment, Applicant has cancelled the non-elected Claims 12-18. Additionally, Applicant has added new Claims 19-25 into prosecution, with Claim 19 being independent in nature, and the remaining claims being dependent thereon. The newly added claims are also directed to the device as opposed to the method, and are used to replace those cancelled as a result of the aforementioned election.

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